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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This paper is responsive to the Office action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on December 4, 2006, in the above-identified patent application.

Applicant believes that the correct fee is submitted herewith; however, if any additional fee is due, the Director is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 07-1700.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and Response, reconsideration and withdrawal of all grounds of rejection, and passage of the claims to allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.